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LETTER

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

During a telephone conversation on July 10, 1998, with Paul Bell at the PCT Help Desk at the U.S. Patent Office applicant was informed that the Form 903 in the above-identified application was mailed on or around June 5, 1998. Mr. Bell confirmed that the Form would have been mailed to the address listed below. However, applicant has never received the Form 903 in this application. Accordingly, applicant respectfully requests that

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another copy of the Form 903 for this application be sent to applicant.

~~Respectfully submitted,~~

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